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Stop 0253, Room 2610-S
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20250-0253

DATE: September 16, 2008

CANNED TUNA, ANNOUNCEMENT LS-127, INVITATION NO. 032:

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers pursuant to ANNOUNCEMENT LS-127 as amended, to sell Canned, Chunk, Light Tuna (12 ounce cans) for use in Federal food and nutrition programs. Purchases will be made on a delivered basis to destinations indicated herein. The product must arrive at the destinations within the delivery period. Destination quantities are estimates and subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient needs, market conditions, and program operations.

Bidders are reminded that extra precautions should be taken to make sure product does not reach destinations in a frozen state.

All offers must be in the format prescribed in LS-127 and be submitted electronically via the internet. Offers must be received by **1:30 p.m., CENTRAL TIME, Friday, September 19, 2008**. Acceptances will be announced by midnight **Friday, September 26, 2008**. Deliveries are to be made between November 16 and November 30, 2008.

Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The internet address is: <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?> Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call 202-720-2650 for assistance.

Inquiries about ANNOUNCEMENT LS-127 or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; Livestock and Seed Program; USDA, AMS, Stop 0253; Room 2610-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, SW; Washington, D.C. 20250; Telephone: 202/720-2650; **Fax: 202/720-9538.**

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ANNOUNCEMENT : LS127
INVITATION : 032
COMM GROUP : 27 FISH, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 10 TUNA, CHUNK LIGHT/WATER, CND
PACK SIZE : 14 24/12 OZ CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	TRANS ST	RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/08 - 11/30/08

001	LOS ANGELES/FAS CA	TRUCK ONLY		1,800 GUAM/FAS VESSEL
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,800

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 1,800

/s/Duane Williams (09/16/08)

Duane Williams
Contracting Officer
Livestock and Seed Program

An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained via the World Wide Web at: http://www.ams.usda.gov/lscp/pork/pork_purchaseinfo.htm
The Commodity Procurement home page: <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

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